

# Math Achievement Rubric for Knollwood Report Card Grade 5

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Performance Indicators	Rubric
Understands the meanings, uses and representations of numbers	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reads whole numbers and decimals</li> <li>• Writes whole numbers and decimals</li> <li>• Identifies places in whole numbers and decimals and the value of the digits in those places</li> <li>• Uses expanded notation to represent whole numbers and decimals</li> <li>• Solves problems involving percents and discounts and explains strategies</li> <li>• Identifies the unit whole in situations involving fractions</li> <li>• Identifies prime and composite numbers</li> <li>• Factors numbers</li> <li>• Finds prime factorizations</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reads and writes whole numbers up to 1,000,000,000 and decimals through thousandths</li> <li>• Identifies places in such numbers and values of the digits in those places</li> <li>• Translates between whole numbers and decimals represented in words and in base-10 notation</li> <li>• Reads, writes and models fractions</li> <li>• Solves problems involving fractional parts of a region or a collection and describes strategies</li> <li>• Given a fraction part of a region or a collection, identifies the unit whole</li> <li>• Finds multiples of whole numbers less than 10</li> <li>• Finds whole-number factors</li> </ul>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reads, writes, and models with manipulatives decimals through hundredths</li> <li>• Identifies places in such numbers and the values of the digits in those places</li> <li>• Translates between whole numbers and decimals represented in words, in base-10 notation, and with manipulatives</li> <li>• Reads, writes, and models fractions</li> <li>• Solves problems involving fractional parts of a region or a collection</li> <li>• Describes strategies used</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;">E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reads and writes whole numbers and decimals</li> <li>• Identifies places in such numbers and the values of the digits in those places</li> <li>• Uses expanded notation, number-and-word notation, exponential notation, and scientific notation to represent whole numbers and decimals</li> <li>• Solves problems involving percents and discounts</li> <li>• Explains strategies used</li> <li>• Identifies the unit whole in situations involving fractions, decimals, and percents</li> <li>• Uses GCFs, LCMs, and divisibility rules to manipulate fractions</li> </ul>
Understands equivalent names for numbers	<p style="text-align: center;">3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses numerical expressions involving one or more of the basic four arithmetic operations, grouping symbols, and exponents to give equivalent names for whole numbers</li> <li>• Converts between base-10, exponential, and repeated-factor notations</li> <li>• Uses numerical expressions to find and represent equivalent names for fractions, decimals, and percents</li> <li>• Uses and explains multiplication and division rules to find equivalent fractions and fractions in simplest form</li> <li>• Converts between fractions and mixed numbers</li> <li>• Converts between fractions, decimals, and percents</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;">2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses numerical expressions involving one or more of the basic four arithmetic operations and grouping symbols to give equivalent names for whole numbers</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses numerical expressions to find and represent equivalent names for fractions and decimals</li> <li>• Uses and explains a multiplication rule to find equivalent fractions</li> <li>• Renames fourths, fifths tenths, and hundredths as decimals and percents</li> </ul>
	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses numerical expressions involving one or more of the basic four arithmetic operations to give equivalent names for whole numbers</li> <li>• Uses manipulatives and drawings to find and represent equivalent names for fractions</li> <li>• Uses manipulatives to generate equivalent fractions</li> </ul>
	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Applies the order of operations to numerical expressions to give equivalent names for rational numbers</li> <li>• Finds equivalent fractions and fractions in simplest form by applying multiplication and division rules and concepts from number theory</li> <li>• Converts between fractions, mixed numbers, decimals, and percents</li> </ul>
Understands common numerical relations	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compares and orders rational numbers</li> <li>• Uses area models, benchmark fractions and analyses of numerators and denominators to compare and order fractions and mixed numbers</li> <li>• Describes strategies used to compare fractions and mixed numbers</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compares and orders whole numbers up to 1,000,000,000 and decimals through thousandths</li> <li>• Compares and orders integers between -100 and 0</li> <li>• Uses area models, benchmark fractions and analyses of numerators and denominators to compare and order fractions</li> </ul>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses manipulatives to order decimals through hundredths</li> <li>• Uses area models and benchmark fractions to compare and order fractions</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;">E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Chooses and applies strategies for comparing and ordering rational numbers</li> <li>• Explains those choices and strategies</li> </ul>
Understands the systems and processes of measurement: uses appropriate techniques, tools, units, and formulas in making measurements	<p style="text-align: center;">3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Estimates length with and without tools</li> <li>• Measures length with tools to the nearest <math>\frac{1}{8}</math> inch and millimeter</li> <li>• Estimates the measure of angles with and without tools</li> <li>• Uses tools to draw angle with given measures</li> <li>• Describes and uses strategies to find the perimeter of polygons and the area of circles</li> <li>• Chooses and uses appropriate formulas to calculate the areas of rectangles, parallelograms, and triangles, and the volume of a prism</li> <li>• Defines pi as the ratio of a circle's circumference to its diameter</li> <li>• Describes relationships among U.S. customary units of length, among metric units of length, and among U.S. customary units of capacity</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;">2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Estimates length with tools</li> <li>• Measures length with tools to the nearest <math>\frac{1}{4}</math> inch and <math>\frac{1}{2}</math> centimeter</li> <li>• Estimates the size of angles without tools</li> <li>• Describes and uses strategies to measure the perimeter and area of polygons, to estimate the area of irregular shapes, and to find the volume of rectangular prisms</li> <li>• Describes the relationships among U.S. customary units of length and among metric units of length</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;">1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Estimates length with and without tools</li> <li>• Measures length to the nearest <math>\frac{1}{2}</math> inch and <math>\frac{1}{2}</math> centimeter</li> <li>• Draws and describes angles as records of rotations</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Describes and uses strategies to measure the perimeter of polygons</li> <li>• Counts unit squares to find the areas of rectangles</li> <li>• Describes relationships among inches, feet, and yards</li> <li>• Describes relationships between minutes in an hour, hours in a day, days in a week</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;">E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Estimates length with and without tools</li> <li>• Measures length with tools to the nearest <math>\frac{1}{16}</math> inch and millimeter</li> <li>• Estimates the measure of angles with and without tools</li> <li>• Uses tools to draw angles with given measures</li> <li>• Chooses and uses appropriate formulas to calculate the circumference of circles and to solve area, perimeter, and volume problems</li> </ul>
Uses and understands reference frames	<p style="text-align: center;">3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses ordered pairs of numbers to name, locate, and plot points in all four quadrants of a coordinate grid</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;">2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses ordered pairs of numbers to name, locate, and plot points in the first quadrant of a coordinate grid</li> </ul>
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Computes accurately	<p style="text-align: center;">3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses mental arithmetic, paper-and-pencil algorithms, diagrams, area models, and calculators to solve the following types of problems:             <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Addition and subtraction with whole numbers, decimals, and signed numbers</li> <li>❖ Multiplication of whole numbers and decimals and the division of multidigit whole numbers and decimals by whole numbers</li> <li>❖ Addition and subtraction of fractions and mixed numbers</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Multiplication of fractions and mixed numbers</li> <li>❖ Division of fractions</li> <li>• Expresses remainders as whole numbers or fractions as appropriate</li> <li>• Describes the strategies used and explains how they work</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses manipulatives, mental arithmetic, paper-and-pencil algorithms, and calculators to solve the following types of problems <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>❖ Addition and subtraction of whole numbers and decimals through hundredths</li> <li>❖ Multiplication of multidigit whole numbers by 2-digit whole numbers and the division of multidigit whole numbers by 1-digit whole numbers</li> <li>❖ Addition and subtraction of fractions with like and unlike denominators</li> </ul> </li> <li>• Tells the strategies used</li> </ul>
	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Demonstrates automaticity with all addition and subtraction facts through <math>10 + 10</math></li> <li>• Uses basic facts to compute fact extensions such as <math>80 + 70</math></li> <li>• Uses manipulatives, mental arithmetic, paper-and-pencil algorithms, and calculators to solve problems involving the addition and subtraction of whole numbers and decimals in a money context</li> <li>• Demonstrates automaticity with <math>\times 0</math>, <math>\times 1</math>, <math>\times 2</math>, <math>\times 5</math>, and <math>\times 10</math> multiplication facts</li> <li>• Uses strategies to compute remaining facts up to <math>10 \times 10</math></li> <li>• Uses arrays, mental arithmetic, paper-and-pencil algorithms, and calculators to solve problems involving the multiplication of 2- and 3-digit whole numbers by 1-digit whole numbers</li> </ul>
	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses mental arithmetic, paper-and-pencil algorithms, and calculators to solve the problems with whole numbers, decimals, signed numbers, fractions, and mixed numbers</li> </ul>
Makes reasonable estimates	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Makes reasonable estimates for whole number and decimal problems</li> <li>• Makes reasonable estimates for fraction and mixed number problems</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Explains how the estimates were obtained</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Makes estimates for whole number and decimal problems using calculations that are sometimes inaccurate</li> <li>Indicates how the estimates were obtained</li> </ul>
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	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Makes reasonable estimates for whole number, decimal, fraction, and mixed number addition, subtraction, multiplication, and division problems</li> <li>Explain how the estimates were obtained</li> </ul>
Understands meanings of operations	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Uses repeated addition, arrays, and area to model multiplication and division</li> <li>Uses ratios expressed as words, fractions, percents, and with colons</li> <li>Solves problems involving ratios of parts of a set to the whole set</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Uses repeated addition, skip counting, arrays, and area to model multiplication and division</li> <li>Given a model or equivalency chart, uses ratios expressed as words, fractions, percents, and with colons</li> <li>Solves problems involving ratios of parts of a set to the whole set when the parts and whole have been previously defined</li> </ul>
	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Recognizes and describes change, comparison, and parts-and-totals situations</li> <li>Uses repeated addition, arrays, and skip counting to model multiplication</li> <li>Uses equal sharing and equal grouping to model division</li> </ul>

	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses ratios and scaling to model size changes and to solve size-change problems</li> <li>• Represents ratios as fractions, percents, and decimals, and using a colon</li> <li>• Models and solves problems involving part-to-whole and part-to-part ratios</li> <li>• Models rate and ratio number stories with proportions</li> <li>• Uses and explains cross multiplication and other strategies to solve proportions</li> </ul>
Knows basic facts (per grade-level expectations)	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• When presented with a math fact, can give answer orally or in written form immediately and correctly, without hesitation</li> <li>• Mental math reflects secure knowledge of math facts</li> <li>• Written work shows evidence of secure knowledge of math facts</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• When presented with a math fact, can give answer orally or in written form within a few seconds, and, generally, it is correct</li> <li>• Mental math reflects developing knowledge of math facts</li> <li>• Written work shows evidence of developing knowledge of math facts</li> </ul>
	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• When presented with a math fact, can give answer orally or in written form with some hesitation, and it is sometimes correct</li> <li>• Mental math reflects some knowledge of math facts</li> <li>• Written work shows evidence of some knowledge of math facts</li> </ul>
	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• When presented with a math fact, can give answer orally or in written form immediately and correctly, without hesitation</li> <li>• Mental math reflects secure knowledge of math facts</li> <li>• Written work shows evidence of secure knowledge of math facts</li> <li>• Math facts memorized beyond grade-level benchmarks</li> </ul>
Investigates characteristics and properties of 2- and 3-dimensional geometric shapes	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Identifies, describes, compares, names, and draws right, acute, obtuse, straight, and reflex angles</li> </ul>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Determines angle measures in vertical and supplementary angles and by applying properties of sums of angle measures in triangles and quadrangles</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Given a word bank, identifies and draws right, acute, straight, and obtuse angles</li> <li>Given the properties of sums of angle measures in triangles and quadrangles, can determine angle measures in vertical and supplementary angles</li> </ul>
	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identifies and draw points, intersecting and parallel line segments and lines, rays, and right angles</li> <li>Identifies, describes, models, and compares plane and solid figures including circles, polygons, spheres, cylinders, rectangular prisms, pyramids, cones, and cubes using appropriate geometric terms including the terms face, edge, vertex, and base</li> </ul>
	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identifies, describes, classifies, names and draw angles</li> <li>Determines angle measures by applying properties of orientations of angles and of sums of angle measures in triangles and quadrangles</li> <li>Identifies and describes similar and congruent figures and describes their properties</li> <li>Constructs a figure that is congruent to another figure using compass and straightedge</li> </ul>
Applies transformations and symmetry in geometric situations	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identifies, describes, and sketches examples of reflections, translations, and rotations</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identifies, describes, and sketches examples of reflections</li> <li>Identifies and describes examples of translations and rotations</li> </ul>
	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Creates and completes 2-dimensional symmetric shapes or designs</li> <li>Locates multiple lines of symmetry in a 2-dimensional shape</li> </ul>

	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Identifies, describes, and sketches (including plotting on the coordinate plane) instances of reflections, translations, and rotations</li> </ul>
Selects and creates appropriate graphical representations of collected or given data	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collects and organizes data or uses given data to create bar, line, and circle graphs with reasonable titles, labels, keys, and intervals</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collects and organizes data or uses given data to create charts, tables, bar graphs, line plots, and line graphs</li> </ul>
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	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Collects and organizes data or uses given data to create bar, line, circle, and stem-and-leaf graphs with reasonable titles, labels, keys, and intervals</li> </ul>
Analyzes and interprets data	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Uses the maximum, minimum, range, median, mode, and mean and graphs to ask and answer questions, draw conclusions, and make predictions</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Uses the maximum, minimum, range, median, mode, and graphs to ask and answer questions</li> </ul>
	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Uses graphs to ask and answer simple questions and draw conclusions</li> <li>Finds the maximum, minimum, range, mode, and median of a data set</li> </ul>
	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Uses the minimum, range, median, mode, and mean and graphs to ask and answer questions, draw conclusions, and make predictions</li> <li>Compares and contrasts the median and mean of a data set</li> </ul>
Understands and applies basic concepts of probability	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Describes events using certain, very likely, likely, unlikely, very unlikely, impossible</li> </ul>

	<p>and other basic probability terms</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses more likely, equally likely, same chance, 50-50, less likely, and other basic probability terms to compare events</li> <li>• Explain the choice of language</li> <li>• Predicts the outcomes of experiments, tests the predictions using manipulatives, and summarizes the results</li> <li>• Compares predictions based on theoretical probability with experimental results</li> <li>• Uses summaries and comparisons to predict future events</li> <li>• Expresses the probability of an event as a fraction, decimal, or percent</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Describes events using certain, very likely, likely, unlikely, very unlikely, impossible and other basic probability terms</li> <li>• Uses more likely, equally likely, same chance, 50-50, less likely, and other basic probability terms to compare events</li> <li>• Explain the choice of language</li> <li>• Predicts the outcomes of experiments and tests the predictions using manipulatives</li> <li>• Summarizes the results and uses them to predict future events</li> <li>• Expresses the probability of an event as a fraction</li> </ul>
	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Describes events using certain, very likely, likely, unlikely, very unlikely, impossible, and other basic probability terms</li> <li>• Explains the choice of language</li> <li>• Predicts the outcomes of simple experiments and tests the predictions using manipulatives</li> <li>• Expresses the probability of an event by using "___ out of ___"</li> </ul>
	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses the Multiplication Counting Principle, tree diagrams, and other counting strategies to identify all possible outcomes for a situation</li> <li>• Predicts results of experiments, tests the predictions using manipulatives, and summarizes the findings</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Compares predictions based on theoretical probability with experimental results</li> <li>• Calculates probabilities and expresses them as fractions, decimals, and percents</li> <li>• Explains how sample size affects results</li> <li>• Uses the results to predict future events</li> </ul>
Understands patterns and functions	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Extends, describes, and creates numeric patterns</li> <li>• Describes rules for patterns and uses them to solve problems</li> <li>• Writes rules for functions involving the four basic arithmetic operations</li> <li>• Represents functions using words, symbols, tables, and graphs and uses those representations to solve problems</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Extends, describes, and creates numeric patterns</li> <li>• Describes rules for patterns and uses them to solve problems</li> <li>• Uses words and symbols to describe and write rules for functions that involve the four basic arithmetic operations and use those rules to solve problems</li> </ul>
	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Extends, describes, and creates numeric patterns</li> <li>• Describes rules for patterns and uses them to solve problems</li> <li>• Uses words and symbols to describe and write rules for functions involving addition, subtraction, and multiplication and uses those rules to solve problems</li> </ul>
	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Extends, describes, and creates numeric patterns</li> <li>• Describes rules for patterns and uses them to solve problems</li> <li>• Represents patterns and rules using algebraic notation</li> <li>• Represents functions using words, algebraic notation, tables and graphs</li> <li>• Translates from one representation to another and uses representations to solve problems involving functions</li> </ul>
Uses algebraic notation to represent and analyze situations and structures	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Determines whether number sentences are true or false</li> <li>• Solves open number sentences and explains the solutions</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses a letter variable to write an open sentence to model a number story</li> <li>• Uses a pan-balance model to solve linear equations in one unknown</li> <li>• Evaluates numeric expressions containing grouping symbols and nested grouping symbols</li> <li>• Inserts grouping symbols and nested grouping symbols to make number sentences true</li> <li>• Describes and uses the precedence of multiplication and division over addition and subtraction</li> <li>• Describes and applies the properties of arithmetic</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;">2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses conventional notation to write expressions and number sentences using the four basic arithmetic operations</li> <li>• Determines whether number sentences are true or false</li> <li>• Solves open sentences and explains the solutions</li> <li>• Writes expressions and number sentences to model number stories</li> <li>• Evaluates numeric expressions containing grouping symbols</li> <li>• Inserts grouping symbols to make number sentences true</li> <li>• Applies the Distributive Property of Multiplication over Addition to the partial-products multiplication algorithm</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;">1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Reads, writes, and explains number sentences using the symbols <math>+</math>, <math>-</math>, <math>\times</math>, <math>/</math>, <math>=</math>, <math>&gt;</math>, <math>&lt;</math></li> <li>• Solves number sentences</li> <li>• Writes expressions and number sentences to model number stories</li> <li>• Recognizes that numeric expressions can have different values depending on the order in which operations are carried out</li> <li>• Understands that grouping symbols can be used to affect the order in which operations are carried out</li> <li>• Describes and applies the Commutative and Associative Properties of Addition, the Commutative Property of Multiplication, and the Multiplicative Identity</li> </ul>

	<p>E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Determines whether equalities and inequalities are true or false</li> <li>• Solves open number sentences and explains the solutions</li> <li>• Uses a pan-balance model to solve linear equations in one or two unknowns</li> <li>• Uses trial and error and equivalent equations strategies to solve linear equations in one unknown</li> <li>• Describes and applies the conventional order of operations</li> <li>• Describes and applies the properties of arithmetic and multiplicative and additive inverses</li> </ul>
Applies concepts and skills previously learned to solve multi-step problems	<p>3</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Analyzes problems, identifies components, and then formulates plan for solving</li> <li>• Extends, modifies, or reformulates methods as solution unfolds</li> <li>• Can support numeric solutions with graphical representations</li> <li>• Uses prescribed graphical representations and/or physical objects to solve problems or illustrate solutions</li> <li>• Explains solutions to problems using sentences/paragraphs in speaking or writing</li> <li>• Makes overt connections with graphical or pictorial representations</li> <li>• Uses mathematical terminology appropriate to the situation</li> </ul>
	<p>2</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses prescribed processes to solve problems</li> <li>• Can use alternate processes to solve problems following demonstration of such</li> <li>• Graphical representations accompany solutions when required</li> <li>• Can use alternate processes to solve problems following demonstrations of such</li> <li>• Describes process of solving problems with simple sentences or bulleted phrases</li> <li>• Sketches of physical objects, simple graphic organizers, or graphs to represent the situation sometimes accompany written responses</li> <li>• Mathematical terminology included in the problem can be included in explanation of solution</li> </ul>
	<p>1</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Uses parts of given processes to begin to solve problems</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Graphical representations serve as add-on to solutions</li> <li>• Uses parts of given processes to begin to solve problems</li> <li>• Names parts of solution</li> <li>• Tells about problem using some mathematical terms given in problem</li> <li>• Sketches or graphs are sometimes presented with solution but are not always clearly linked</li> </ul>
	<p style="text-align: center;">E</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Designs methods of solving problems based on analysis and application of given theories and knowledge in new situations</li> <li>• Provides counter examples in order to prove solutions</li> <li>• Chooses to use graphical representations and/or physical objects in unorthodox ways to solve problems or illustrate solutions</li> <li>• Provides counter examples in order to prove solutions</li> <li>• Designs methods of solving problems based on analysis and application of given theories and knowledge in new situations</li> <li>• Convinces others that solutions to problems are plausible and supports his/her thinking by using sentences/paragraphs in speaking or writing and makes clear and overt connections with graphical or pictorial representations</li> <li>• Communications always contain appropriate and sophisticated mathematical language and notations</li> </ul>